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1. G-77 DRAFT RESOLUTION ON PREPARATIONS FOR A NEW
INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY AS TRANSMITTED IN REF A
WOULD BE ACCEPTABLE TO THE UNITED STATES IF SPONSORS
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TO REMOVE OR MINIMIZE PRESENT EMPHASIS ON THE NEW INTER-

NATIONAL ECONOMIC ORDER. AS REMAINDER OF RESOLUTION ESSENTIALLY INVOLVES PRELIMINARY STUDY RELEVANT TO FORMULATION OF A NEW STRATEGY, ATTEMPT TO WELD IT IN ADVANCE TO NIEO IS ILLOGICAL, AND USDEL SHOULD SEEK TO CONVINCE OTHERS THAT PREPARATIONS FOR THIRD DEVELOPMENT DECADE SHOULD COMMENCE WITH MAXIMUM FLEXIBILITY POSSIBLE TO CONSIDER ALL RELEVANT RECOMMENDATIONS. ALTHOUGH MOST ASPECTS OF PRESENT RESOLUTION ARE PROCEDURAL, DEPT NOT RPT NOT PREPARED TO ACCEPT ANY INCLUSION OF NIEO IN FORM WHICH MIGHT BE CONSTRUED AS ESTABLISHING GUIDELINES FOR PLANNING OF THIRD DECADE.

2. WHILE DEPT PLEASED THAT IDS RESOLUTION AVOIDS GRATUITOUS CRITICISM OF ADVANCED COUNTRIES CONTAINED IN

EARLIER DRAFT OMNIBUS ECONOMIC RESOLUTION, GENERAL GUIDANCE GIVEN IN REF B REMAINS APPLICABLE. IN ADDITION SPECIFIC COMMENTS ON NEW TEXT (A/C.2/31/L.36) ARE OFFERED BELOW.

3. FIRST PREAMBULAR PARAGRAPH IS SATISFACTORY. SECOND PARAGRAPH, HOWEVER, SUGGESTS CRITICISM OF ADVANCED NATIONS; AND DEPT WOULD PREFER WORDING SUCH AS PROPOSED IN PARA FOUR, REF B, I.E., "RECOGNIZING THAT THE WORLD ECONOMIC SYSTEM STILL FACES SEVERE PROBLEMS OF INSUFFICIENT GROWTH, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNDEREMPLOYMENT, SCARCITY OF RESOURCES AND RISING PRICES, AND DISPARITIES IN INCOME AND IN THE SATISFACTION OF HUMAN NEEDS, WHICH ARE A CAUSE FOR GRAVE CONCERN."

4. IN THIRD PREAMBULAR PARAGRAPH "NEED TO INTRODUCE PROFOUND CHANGES IN THE STRUCTURES OF ECONOMIC RELATIONS" IS UNDESIRABLE. PREFERABLE SUBSTITUTION WOULD BE "TO ACHIEVE AN IMPROVED WORLD ECONOMIC SYSTEM". AS A COMPROMISE US DEL MIGHT PROPOSE "NEED TO ACHIEVE IMPROVEMENTS IN THE STRUCTURE OF ECONOMIC RELATIONS". IN LAST PREAMBULAR PARAGRAPH DEPT WOULD PREFER TO DELETE "IN THIS REGARD" BECAUSE OF IMPLICATION THAT NIEO, CERDS, ETC., SHOULD DETERMINE NATURE OF "PROFOUND CHANGES" CITED ABOVE. OTHERWISE, HOWEVER, THIS PARAGRAPH LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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MAINTAINS BALANCE THROUGH ITS REFERENCE TO SEVENTH SPECIAL SESSION.

5. IN FIRST PORTION OF OP PARA ONE, DEPT RECOMMENDS BROADENING PHRASE WHICH STATES "IN PARTICULAR UNCTAD AND UNIDO" TO INCLUDE ALSO "THE UN DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM, THE UN ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAM, AND THE INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS". OTHERWISE ALL REFERENCE TO

PARTICULAR ORGANIZATIONS SHOULD BE DELETED FROM THE PARAGRAPH. IN LATTER PORTION OF OP PARA ONE, WORDS "EVOLVED WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF NIEO..." SHOULD BE DELETED AND "DESIGNED AS AN EFFECTIVE INSTRUMENT TO ACHIEVE THE OBJECTIVE OF A MORE EQUITABLE WORLD ECONOMIC SYSTEM" BE PROPOSED INSTEAD. AS A FALLBACK, USDEL MAY SUGGEST SUBSTITUTION (OR ADDITION) OF "TAKING INTO ACCOUNT THE BROAD OBJECTIVES OF THE PRECEDING RESOLUTIONS".

6. SECOND OP PARAGRAPH IS SATISFACTORY. FINAL PARA OF THIRD OP PARA READING "ARE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE OBJECTIVES OF THE NIEO" IS UNACCEPTABLE. IN LIEU THEREFORE, USDEL MAY PROPOSE "TAKE INTO ACCOUNT THE

DESIRABILITY OF ACHIEVING AN IMPROVED WORLD ECONOMIC SYSTEM' OR SIMILAR LANGUAGE.

7. FINAL PARAGRAPH, DESPITE INCLUSION OF WORD "APPROPRIATE", MIGHT UNDULY RESTRICT SECRETARIAT IN PREPARING RECOMMENDATIONS FOR NEW STRATEGY, AND USDEL SHOULD PROPOSE AMENDMENT REQUESTING "SECRETARY GENERAL TO UTILIZE APPROPRIATE RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS AND EXPERTISE IN BOTH DEVELOPED AND DEVELOPING COUNTRIES". AS COMPROMISE IF SUPPORT FROM OTHERS FOR THIS CHANGE IS NOT FORTHCOMING, USDEL MAY PROPOSE FALLBACK LANGUAGE REQUESTING "SECRETARY GENERAL, TO EXTENT HE MAY DETERMINE FEASIBLE, TO UTILIZE APPROPRIATE RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS AND EXPERTISE IN THE DEVELOPING COUNTRIES...".

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